Sri Sailam Right Branch Canal Irrigation Schemes are components of the World Bank assisted "Second Andhra Pradesh Irrigation Project". The funds under the World bank Agreement will be available for reimbursement till June 1994. If the progress fo work on the project is not adequate to utilise the entire loan amount them extension of credit closing date will be sought from the World Bank.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Development of Ayacuts

2452. SHRI J. CHOKKA RAO: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether most of the potential created through various major irrigation projects in the country have not been put to use due to non-development of ayacut in the respective project areas;

(b) whether Sri Ramsagar Project in Andhra Pradesh in one such project; and

(c) if so, the measures contemplated to impress on the State Government for the development of such ayaouts?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Yes, Sir. It may further be explained that besides development of ayacuts, the other factors for delay in utilisation of potential relate to adoption of better water management practices by the farmers within the command.

(b) Sriram Sagar Project has developed potential of 253.42 hectares upto 1989-90 and the utilisation is 228.76 thousand hectares which is about 90%.

(c) The Government of India has been impressing upon the State Government to make larger plan allocation for completing of on-farm activities and their timely completion. The need for adoption of better water management practices, adaptive trials, training of farmers, formation of pipe committee have also been stressed.

[*Translation*]

Demand fo Kerosene and Diesel in the Country

2453. SHRI SUSHIL CHANDRA VARMA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the total availability of kerosene and diesel during April-October, 1991;

(b) the total quantity of kerosene and diesel imported and the total quantity made available from the petroleum reserves; and

(c) the total demand of kerosene and diesel in the country in comparison to the total availability and the percentage of total demand which can be made available?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHAN KUMAR): (a) to (c). A Statement giving the requisite information is attached.

STATEMENT

(a) and (b). The details fo kerosene and diesel imported and produced in the country during April to October, 1991 is as follows:

(Figures in TMT)

	Imported	*Production*	*Total*
[illegible]ne	1770	3036	4766
[illegible]	2468	9749	12217

(a) During April to October, 1991, 64.4% of the total demand of kerosene was met from indigenous production and the balance from imports. As far as diesel is concerned, 79.1% of the demand was met from indigenous sources of production and the balance from imports.

Setting up of Petrol Refinery in Madhya Pradesh

2454. SHRI SUSHIL CHANDRA VARMA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal to set up petroleum refinery in Madhya Pradesh was received by the Union Government from the State Government;

(b) if so, the decision taken thereon; and

(c) if no decision has been taken, the reasons for the delay?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHAN KUMAR): (a) Government of Madhya Pradesh has sent request to Government of India for setting up a refinery in Madhya Pradesh.

(b) and (c). M/s Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (BPCL) have submitted a proposal for setting up of a 6 MTPA grass root refinery in Central India. The proposal is under the consideration of the Government.

Production of Coal in Patnaknera Collieries

2455. SHRI SUSHIL CHANDRA VARMA: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the production of coal in Patnaknera collieries in Madhya-Pradesh during 1990-91 and 1991-92 so far, month-wise; and

(b) the average monthly requirement of power station of Patnaknera and the quantity of coal supplied to it from this collieries during 1991, month-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S.B. NYAMAGOUDA): (a) The monthwise production of coal in Patnarkhera area during 1990-91 and 1991-92 (April-November) is given below:

(Figures in 000 tonnes)

Month	1990-91	1991-92
April	180.022	156.045
May	162.542	148.588